

EVENT calendar

SUNDAY, APRIL 8

8:00AM	Worship Service	Sanctuary
8:00AM	Ko'olau Kids Sunday School	Children's Ministry area
9:30AM	Worship Service	Sanctuary
9:30AM	Ko'olau Kids Sunday School	Children's Ministry area
9:30AM	Sunday Youth Group	Youth Room
9:30AM	Parenting Teens	Fireside
9:30AM	Young Adults Community	Makai 3
11:00AM	Bell Choir Rehearsal	Music Room
11:11AM	Worship Service	Sanctuary
11:11AM	Ko'olau Kids Sunday School	Children's Ministry area

MONDAY, APRIL 9

6:30PM	Young Adults (30's) Small Group	Kaimuki
7:00PM	Young Adults (20's) Small Group	Kaneohe

TUESDAY, APRIL 10

9:30AM	Mighty Moms	CM 4 th /5 th Classroom
5:30PM	Dance Ministry	Glass Classroom

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11

6:30PM	ALPHA	Hawaii Voice Lounge
6:30PM	Marriage Course	

THURSDAY, APRIL 12

6:00PM	Samson Society (Men's Group)	CM 4 th /5 th Classroom
6:30PM	Young Adults Small Group	Royal Kunia, Waipahu
7:00PM	Chancel Choir Rehearsal	Music Room

FRIDAY, APRIL 13

9:00AM	FPC Crafters	Kitchen
7:00PM	Friday Youth Group (Middle & High Sch)	Youth Room

SATURDAY, APRIL 14

IMPACT LOCAL & GLOBAL MISSIONS

Contact Pastor Tim: tim@fpchawaii.org / 808-532-1117

SERVE AT LAUNDRY LOVE

Sign up to serve in 2018! Laundry Love is part of our outreach to the houseless in Waimanalo. Once a month we partner with a local laundromat in Waimanalo and pay for the laundry expenses of our houseless friends. If you would like to serve in this ministry, we'll be glad to have you! Sign up at fpcompact.org.

THE COMPASSION EXPERIENCE IS COMING TO FIRST PREZ

Aug 24-27, Fri-Mon, First Prez parking lot
The Compassion Experience is an interactive journey through the true stories of children living in developing countries. You'll walk through a 2,000-square foot exhibit space and experience what it's like to be inside the home, school, and environment of Compassion-sponsored children. Each child's story starts in poverty but ends in hope. The free exhibit will be at First Prez in August, but registration is already open for this 20-minute experience at <https://cts.compassion.com/events/1035>.



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THANK YOU FOR YOUR KOKUA Please turn off pagers and cell phones during worship, and please refrain from bringing food and beverages inside the Sanctuary. Also, we love babies, but if yours is crying, comfort him/her in the infant room to the side of the Sanctuary.

PARKING

Let's help the elderly and those with difficulty walking by leaving parking spaces closest to the Sanctuary available for them.

FOR THE HEARING IMPAIRED

To help you listen to today's worship service better, borrow one of our assistive listening devices available at the sound booth in the Sanctuary.

DEPLOYED MILITARY PRAYER LIST

Do you know people in the military who have been deployed? Write down their names on the Aloha Form along with their military branch, their location and their relation to you. We'd like to keep them in prayer on a regular basis. Call 532-1115. If any of these on our list has returned home, please notify us.

First Prez Members & Regular Attenders	Michael Cacciapuoti	William Hollifield	J. Tang
	Toby Caldwell	Phil Hollstein	Natasia Upadahaya
	Ryan Stanchfield	Rudy Cardona	Damon Hunt
		Carli Carnes	Andrew Hutchison
Family & Friends	Richard Chappell	Benjamin Ivansco	Lenny Williams
1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd BN 3D	John Cruz	S. Manglona	Aaron Yoshimura
Marines	Sam Davis	William McGregor	John Zimmer
Air Force Reserves	A. Diamond	Daniel Murphy	
48 th APS	Douglas Francis	Lee Nakasone	
Robert Andrews	Orlando Fraser	Rob Pederson	
Kevin Bullough	William Heron	Charles Shelton	



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NEWS weekly

FPC NEWS FOR APRIL 8-14, 2018

KO'OLAUSUMMER JAM JUNE 4-8, 2018 FORMERLY VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 9 AM - 12 NOON



KO'OLAUSUMMER JAM (formerly VBS)

June 4-8, Mon-Fri, 9am-noon, FPC
Online registration starts today, April 8
Ko'olau Summer J.A.M. (Jesus and me) is 5 mornings of fun and adventure for kids entering the 1st to 6th grade. This year's theme: SHIPWRECKED. Kids will have experiences in Bible drama, imagination station, snacks, games, and songs, while learning how to anchor in the truth that Jesus carries them through the storms of life. To get the early-bird discount, register online at fpchawaii.org starting today. If you have a preschool child who's familiar with our Ko'olau Kids environment, register your child through Candi Lopes: candi@fpchawaii.org. Interested in volunteering? Contact Karen Makishima: karen@fpchawaii.org

BLOOD DRIVE

April 15, Sun, 7:30 am-1 pm
The Blood Bank of Hawaii loves coming to First Prez because many in our church have rare blood types that it really needs. Make your April 15th appointment in the Fellowship Hall today, or online at: <https://tinyurl.com/apr15FPC>

PARENTING AND TECHNOLOGY

Apr 22, Sun, 9:30 am, Fireside Room
How do parents cope with raising their kids in the digital age? How are they able to protect their kids and yet give them the freedom to create and explore? Come to the Parenting and Technology Class and learn how to welcome technology into your home in ways that will make it have a positive impact on your family. Learn how to set boundaries for your kids and teens on screen time and technology. Questions about the class? Email Matt Yamamoto: Matty@fpchawaii.org

THANK YOU, EASTER VOLUNTEERS!

Our Easter services last weekend wouldn't have gone as well as they did without the help of more than 100 First Prez volunteers! A big MAHALO to our tech team, Red Carpet Team, food team, choir, childcare providers, and many others who worked behind the scenes. May the Lord bless you back for your time, dedication, and resources. You're the best!

RIGHTNOW MEDIA

is a video Bible study library available for you. Send an email to rightnowmedia@fpchawaii.org to gain access to it.

WELCOME TO FPC

WELCOME, VISITORS!

Glad that you're worshipping the Lord with us today! Drop by the Hospitality table at the Sanctuary entrance and pick up your coupons for a free CD of one of our worship services (including today's) and a complimentary espresso drink. Redeem it at our HeBREWS Coffee Bar in the Fellowship Hall, where you'll also find various ministry tables. Thanks for visiting, and we hope you stick 6! Stick around for at least six Sundays to see if First Prez is the right fit for you.

KO'OLAU KITCHEN

Is located by the Fellowship Hall. It's a place for good food and an opportunity to get to know other people in the church.

Today's specials:

- Macadamia Nut Medallions of Chicken
- Beef Broccoli Stir Fry
- Crepes Manicotti
- Teriyaki Beef Sandwich
- Cream of Salmon with new potato & dill

FINANCIAL REPORT

(AS OF 2/28/18)

Annual Budget:	\$ 3,984,853
YTD Income:	\$ 503,483
YTD Expenses:	\$ 495,004
YTD Difference:	\$ 8,479

For your convenience, online donations can now be made at www.fpchawaii.org or the First Prez mobile app. Please indicate in your check or on your online donation if you're giving to the capital campaign fund.

PLANNED GIVING

Learn about creative ways to support First Prez through planned gifts that benefit you, your loved ones, and the church. Go to our website at fpchawaii.org to learn get more info on gifts that cost you nothing during your lifetime.

Popular giving arrangements include:

- Gifts from your will or trust
- Gifts from a retirement plan
- Gifts of stocks and appreciated assets
- Gifts of life insurance

Thanks for supporting God's work at FPC!

GENERAL INFO

CHANCEL FLOWERS

Today's flowers were arranged by the First Prez Floral Team and given by Rick & Camila Mardesich to the glory of God.

BOOK CLUB

April 28, Sat, 9 am

Liturgy of the Ordinary T. H. Warren and Almost Amish by Nancy Sleeth. Email karenkts@gmail.com for more info.

CERTIFICATES FOR EASTER BAPTISMS

If you were baptized on Easter and would like to have a baptismal certificate, stop by the Life Ministries table in the Fellowship Hall to fill out the request sheet. Your certificate will be ready the following Sunday.



RIGHTNOW MEDIA

is a website that has more than 20,000 Christian videos for learning and discipleship from some of the best speakers and teachers worldwide. There are videos about the books of the Bible, leadership, finance, men's and women's issues, mental health issues, marriage, parenting, a ton of videos for kids, and a whole lot more. Use RightNow Media on any type of digital device for personal devotions, small groups, classrooms, and even sharing it with your friends outside of First Prez. Request for access to RightNow Media by sending an email to rightnowmedia@fpchawaii.org



CARE MINISTRIES

CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP

First Thursdays, 7 pm, FPC Boardroom

Encouragement for those involved in an aspect of caregiving. Email: gary@thecaregiverfoundation.org

DIVORCECARE

New session: April 24 to July 17, Tuesdays, 6:30 PM, FPC

DivorceCare is a weekly seminar/support group that aims to help people heal from the hurt caused by divorce or separation. It's a caring group led by people who understand what you are going through. During the first 30-40 minutes of the meeting, the group watches a video on divorce and recovery topics, followed by discussion as a support group. To register, email to divorcecare@fpchawaii.org

GRIEFSHARE

New session: May 6-July 29, Sundays, 11 am, Glass Classroom

GriefShare is a 13-week support group aimed at helping those who have lost loved ones cope with the challenges of grief. At each meeting, there will be a video teaching led by ministers, Christian counselors, and grief experts to help you deal with the pain of the passing of a family member or friend, help you recover from your loss, and rebuild your life. To sign up for GriefShare, send an email to griefshare@fpchawaii.org.

STEPHEN MINISTRY

Offers Christ-centered, one-on-one weekly care and support for regular attendees of First Prez who are hurting from a crisis or loss. For more info, email marianna@fpchawaii.org

MINISTRIES

CHANCEL CHOIR

Rehearsals: Thurs, 7 pm, Music Room

If you're gifted in singing, come and serve the Lord on Sundays through our choir. Call Mary Hicks for more info at 271-1153.

DANCE MINISTRY

Tuesdays, 5:30 pm, Glass Classroom

If you want to be part of the dance ministry, contact Ann at alohaannwalk@gmail.com/808-383-8634.

HANDBELL CHOIR

Rehearsals: Sun, 11 am, Music Room

New bell ringers are welcome to our Handbell Choir, now under the direction of Becky Yoza. Just show up for rehearsals.

HELPING HANDS

This ministry provides help transportation, minor home repairs, etc) to FPC members and attendees. If you would like to give or receive assistance, fill out the Prayer/Helping Hands/Comment form in the green Aloha folder in your row.

MIGHTY MOMS

Tues, 9:30 am, 4th & 5th grade room

Mighty Moms is a Bible study and fellowship group for moms with young kids. Join us as we learn the inductive method, using the book Teach Me Your Ways by Kay Arthur, to help you improve your personal Bible study. Free childcare. Contact alohamighty mos@gmail.com for more info.

MILITARY MOMS & DADS NIGHT OUT

This First Prez ministry serves military families by providing daycare on campus for a few hours on a Saturday so spouses of those deployed could have a break. Men, women, teens, and anyone with a big heart for kids are welcome to volunteer at the daycare. Sign up in the Fellowship Hall to be a volunteer. More info with Beth Fila: (703) 220-1751.

OUT & ABOUT

Apr 25, Wed, meet at 9:40am at gate of Washington Place

Join us for a tour of Washington Place, a national historic landmark and the former home of Hawaii's Queen Lili'uokalani. Lunch at Mandalay Restaurant. Register on Apr 15 or 22 in Fellowship Hall after the 8 or 9:30 am service.

PGA (PRESBYTERIAN GOLF ADVENTURES)

April 21, Sat, 7 AM tee time, Coral Creek Course

We meet monthly for a great time of golf and fellowship. It's a mission fundraiser too! Sign up with Warren Patrick: wpatrick55@gmail.com.

PRAYER MINISTRY

If you need prayer, go to the front of the stage in the Sanctuary after worship services. If you'd rather submit a prayer request, please use the purple prayer form in the green Aloha folder in your row.

SMALL GROUPS

For information on Small Groups, visit the website at www.fpchawaii.org, or contact Jenny Sung at jenny@fpchawaii.org

WOMEN'S MINISTRY

The mission of our Women's Ministry is to draw women of all ages to a closer relationship with Jesus through God's word, prayer, fellowship, and service.

YOUNG ADULTS

YOUNG ADULT COMMUNITY

Sundays, 9:30 am, Makai 3

If you're a young adult in your 20's or 30's, join us in exploring some of life's most important questions.

SMALL GROUP (20'S)

Thursdays, 6:30 pm in Royal Kunia (Waipahu)

Contact Lauren Stein for more info: proverbs312013@gmail.com.

SMALL GROUP (COLLEGE-AGED/20's)

Mondays, 7 pm, 46-288 Auna St., Kaneohe

Contact Cindy and Kyon Yi for more info: theyiclan@gmail.com or 808-892-0701. Recent high school graduates welcome!

SMALL GROUP (30'S)

Mondays, 6:30 pm, Kaimuki

Contact Carolyn for more info: c_grossnickle@hotmail.com/808-375-2199

FAMILIES

OH-ZONE (OHANA ZONE)

First Sunday of the month, 10:30 am-12:30 pm, Fellowship Hall

All families with young kids are invited to hang out and connect with other First Prez families at the OH-ZONE (the Ohana Zone). It's a kid-friendly environment with activities and extra space where your kids can be kids. FREE HOTDOGS and snacks!

FAMILY FUSION

First Friday of the month, 6-8:30 pm in the Children's Ministry Area

This is a time for First Prez families of all types and sizes to hang out, eat a potluck meal together, and have fun. No need to RSVP, just show up. Contact Jeremy for more info: jeremykblim@gmail.com. Family Fusion happens every first Friday night of the month, so plan on joining us.

YOUTH

Matt Yamamoto: matty@fpchawaii.org
Find out all upcoming events by visiting our website: youthfpchawaii.org

FRIDAY YOUTH GROUP

7-9:30 pm, Youth Room

SUNDAY YOUTH GROUP

9:30 am, Youth Rooms
Middle School (6th-8th)
High School (9th-12th)

CHILDREN

SUNDAY SCHOOL PROGRAM

Candi 440-6572 / candi@fpchawaii.org

NURSERY (3 MO-20 MO)

Our message to babies this month: "Jesus is your friend. We pray you grow up and tell others about Him. He wants to be friends with everyone!"

TODDLER AND PRESCHOOL

The Big News this month is that Jesus is alive! We want the keiki to know that Jesus is God's Son and He wants to be their friend forever. They will hear stories about how the early church began, how men traveled far to tell the news, and how people were changed because of the big news. We want to remind preschoolers that telling others the Big News is truly the best gift of all.

ELEMENTARY (K-5TH GRADE)

Keiki will learn that God is patient and that He's in control. He knows how the story ends. And because of Jesus' sacrifice, we know how the story ends too. We can be patient and have hope that things will work out in the end.

